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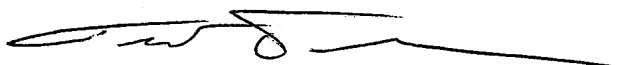
Entry of the foregoing amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 is respectfully requested. The claims 15-24 which are now canceled were withdrawn in the previous amendment.

If there are any questions regarding this amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #101077.53988US).

Respectfully submitted,

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